

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Pages 2 and 3, the paragraph bridging page 2, line 23 through page 3, line 6, the marked up paragraph is as follows:

~~Or the~~ The present invention also is characterized by a method of maintaining and managing a plurality of power supplying facilities which supply power to arbitrary power systems, comprising a step of selecting a repairing period and procedure for a failure which occurred in at least one of said power supplying facilities from repairing periods and procedures which are predetermined according to levels of failures.

Page 18, third full paragraph, lines 14-23, replace the paragraph with:

The function 62 for selecting the shortest repairing procedure selects and outputs information of parts and procedures required to repair the failure in a very short time period from the replacement part inventory database 63 having information of the inventory of replacement parts and the repairing procedure database 64 having repairing procedures that were actually carried out. The function 62 for selecting the shortest repairing procedure outputs an information 65 for displaying a part to be repaired and a repairing procedure. This enables easy, accurate, and quick repairing of a faulty power generating facility.

Page 21, second full paragraph, lines 7-17, replace the paragraph with:

The parameter regulating function 80 outputs a signal to adjust tuning parameters 76 so that the subtractor 78 outputs 0. This signal is fed to the switch 81 and fed back as a signal 82 for tuning the control setting by a switching signal sent from the evaluating function 79 when a failure occurs. An offline identifying function is provided so that said parameter adjustment may be carried out while the plant is not in operation for safety. In this way, this embodiment can forecast the status efficiently and accurately.